



# Stepping up to the Plate

## Giving it all You've Got



Concentrating solely on the game, former sophomore Zak Singleton comes through for his team by getting a base hit. "I like playing both offense and defense because they are required to win a game," Zak said.

Take me out to the ballgame! Both varsity and junior varsity baseball teams woked hard in order to prepare for the 2005 season. Practice played a key role in developing teamwork skills and allowed players to learn what they needed to do in the game. "I enjoyed practice because it helped me to become better, and it filled me with a sense of completion," former senior Lee Stroud said.

Warming up, sophomore Baryl White prepares to take the mound. Pitching was one of the toughest positions to fill. "Pitching was important because the game was affected by how well you pitched," Baryl said.



Playing the game proved to take more time and effort than one may think. Both teams practices for many hours everyday after school. Players focused greatly on the game and had no time for anything else. "Although practice and games took away a lot of time for homework and a player's social life, it was worth it," junior Chad Bloodworth said.



Anxiously awaiting the start of the game, junior Chad Bloodworth catches the ball from a teammate. Each player warmed up for over an hour to prepare for the upcoming game. "We practiced so we could keep our skill level up," Chad said.

The teams were motivated and focused when it came to the game. Players were dedicated and tried their hardest to achieve victory over their opposing team. "I always concentrated and thought about what I needed to do on the field and off the field," sophomore Jamile Cochran said.

-Ashley Strickland

Stepping up to the plate, sophomore Gregory Bowen swings for the fence.



2004 - 2005 Scores		
	Us	Them
Beaufort	0	12
Battery Creek	6	7
Bluffton	8	13
Hilton Head	11	8
Stratford	1	15
West Ashley	4	8
Berkeley	0	19
Goose Creek	1	11
James Island	4	5
Fort Dorchester	1	13
Battery Creek	1	11
Beaufort	2	5